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5. [] Dick Hines, House Space Committee staff called and said that Representative Teague had asked whether our "configuration chart" could be made available in unclassified form and whether the figures used in William Patterson's article on Soviet boosters square with our figures. Patterson's article appeared in the November 1962 issue of the magazine "Space Aeronautics." [] in OSI, is checking on this.

6. [] Talked with Bob Michaels, House Appropriations Subcommittee staff, with respect to the Subcommittee's letter authorizing appropriations "during July" as authorized by congressional resolution. I queried Michaels as to whether it would be necessary for the Agency to receive a similar authorization for the month of August or whether he interpreted the letter to make the matter controlling under the resolution. Michaels said he was not certain on this himself and would check on it and be in touch with us by close of business 31 July.

8. [] Late in the day, I learned that the Director had discussed with Senator Pastore the desirability of the Director getting together with the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy but acknowledged that both of their schedules made this practically impossible. At Mr. Elder's request, I made a call to the Committee staff. In the absence of James Conway, I talked with Commander Bauser advising him of the conversation between the Director and the Chairman. I indicated that the only possible time the Director could meet with the Chairman would be on Thursday morning and added that I could not even make a flat commitment for then. Bauser planned to talk with Conway later in the evening and said he would take the matter up with him at that time.

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